GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – MA&UD Department - Allegation of corruption against Sri Udatha Veera Venkata Rao, Executive Engineer (Works), Zone-VIII (previously Zone-VI), GVMC., Visakhapatnam for demand and acceptance of bribe of Rs.34,000/ from the complainant - Trapped by ACB on 22.04.2021 - Arrested by Anti Corruption Bureau Officials - Placed under deemed suspension from the date of his detention i.e., with effect from 22.04.2021 under Rule 8 (2) (a) of A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 217 **Dated: 30-04-2021.**

Read:

From the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Anti Corruption Bureau, Srikakulam Range, I/c ACB, Visakhapatnam Range, Visakhapatnam, Radio Message, dated.22.04.2021.

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Whereas, in the reference read above, it has been brought to the notice of the Government by the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Anti Corruption Bureau, Srikakulam Range, I/c ACB, Visakhapatnam Range, Visakhapatnam that, a case was registered in Crime No.06/RCT-ACB/VSP/2021, U/s 7(a) & (b) of Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Act, 2018 of ACB, Visakhapatnam Range on 22.04.2021 at about 16.45 hours, against the Accused Officer Sri Udatha Veera Venkata Rao, S/o. Late Surya Rao, Aged about 59 years, Executive Engineer (Works), Zone-VIII (previously Zone-VI), GVMC., Visakhapatnam, on allegations of trap at his office when he further demanded and accepted the bribe amount of Rs.34,000/- from the complainant Sri Rongali Appala Naidu, Pendurthy Mandal, Visakhapatnam as undue advantage with an intension to perform public duty improperly or dishonestly and also as a reward for processing the bill of the complainants friend Sri Allu Venkata Rao. The A.O. was arrested at 11.45 hours on 22.04.2021 and will be produced before the Hon'ble Court of III Addl. District Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge for ACB Cases, Visakhapatnam for Judicial Custody on 23.04.2021.

2. Government after careful examination of the matter and in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (a) sub-rule (2) of rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, hereby place Sri Udatha Veera Venkata Rao, Executive Engineer (Works), Zone-VIII (previously Zone-VI), GVMC., Visakhapatnam under deemed suspension from the date of his detention i.e., with effect from 22.04.2021 and he shall remain under suspension until further orders.

3. Government also order that, during the period that this order remains in force Sri Udatha Veera Venkata Rao, Executive Engineer (Works), Zone-VIII (previously Zone-VI), GVMC., Visakhapatnam shall not leave the headquarters without obtaining the prior permission of the Government.

(P.T.O.)

4. Government also order that, during the period of suspension Sri Udatha Veera Venkata Rao, Executive Engineer (Works), Zone-VIII (previously Zone-VI), GVMC., Visakhapatnam shall be paid subsistence allowance as per rules in force.

5. The Engineer-In-Chief (PH) A.P., Guntur / Commissioner, GVMC., Visakhapatnam shall take necessary action to file Caveat Petitions in A.P. High Court, in consultation with Government Pleader with a view to restrain the Accused Officer from obtaining release orders from the APHC, as per the existing Government instructions.

6. The receipt of G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y.SRILAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Udatha Veera Venkata Rao, Executive Engineer (Works),
Zone-VIII (previously Zone-VI), GVMC., Visakhapatnam
- through the ENC (PH), A.P., Guntur.
The Engineer-In-Chief (PH) A.P., Guntur.
The Commissioner, GVMC., Visakhapatnam.

Copy to:

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Vijayawada.
The DSP., ACB., Srikakulam Range, I/c ACB,
Visakhapatnam Range, Visakhapatnam.
The Secretary to A.P. Vigilance Commission, A.P.Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The M.A. & U.D. (C) Department.
The District Collector, Visakhapatnam.
SF/SCs.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER.